



## Diamonds, Platinum... Black Gold!

You can make your own riches by composting your yard waste. Leaves, grass, and other yard debris make excellent compost. Compost saves you money, is great for your lawn and garden, and helps protect water quality.

Rake yard waste into a compost pile, it can help keep organic material from washing into the storm drains and nearby lakes and rivers.

But, hey – why rake when you can mulch? Leave your leaves on top of the grass and run over them with the lawn mower. It makes a great fertilizer.

Ready for a rainy day?



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